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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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FOR: "DEVICE AND METHOD FOR THE)
FACILITATED INSERTION OF THE)

MALE MEMBER INTO A CONDOM") Date: September 26, 2000

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Box PCT Washington, D.C. 20231

Attn: United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US)

Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-identified application, it is respectfully requested that the following amendments be made to the Claims:

IN THE CLAIMS

Claim 4, Lines 1-2 Please charge "any of the preceding claims" to --claim 1--.

Claim 5, Lines 1-2 Please charge "any of the preceding claims" to --claim 1--.

Claim 6, Lines 1-2 Please change "any of the preceding claims" to --claim 1--.

Claim 8, Lines 1-2 Please change "any of the preceding claims" to --claim 1--.